



KELLSTROM REPAIR SERVICES NAMED EXCLUSIVE PROVIDER FOR REPAIR AND OVERHAUL OF SHORT-POD™ APU

MIRAMAR, FL, April 16, 2015 - Kellstrom Defense, Inc. ("Kellstrom Defense"), a Merex Group company, is pleased to announce that it has appointed Kellstrom Repair Services, Inc. ("Kellstrom Repair Services") as the exclusive provider of Maintenance, Repair & Overhaul ("MRO") services for the Kellstrom Defense SHORT-POD™ Auxiliary Power Unit ("APU") installed on C-130 aircraft worldwide. Kellstrom Defense is the exclusive global provider for the SHORT-POD™ APU.

The Kellstrom Defense SHORT-POD™ APU utilizes Kellstrom Defense's proprietary design and intellectual property to offer C-130 operators a dramatic increase in reliability and reduced maintenance costs by replacing the obsolete legacy Gas Turbine Compressor, Air Turbine Motor (ATM), and ATM generator with a new Honeywell APU coupled with a 40 KVA Direct Drive generator. The Kellstrom Defense SHORT-POD™ APU Upgrade Kit and the Kellstrom Defense SHORT-POD™ APU Installation Kit are Lockheed Martin Hologram Certified and compatible with all C-130 B-H models (up to LAC serial number 4652). This upgrade is provided as a complete kit and is installed on-site by either customer or depot level airframe maintenance personnel without the need for any major structural modifications.

Merex Group MRO Solutions President Jonathan Silva stated, "As an Honeywell Authorized Repair Station, Kellstrom Repair Services is honored to be the only Kellstrom Defense authorized provider of MRO services for the Kellstrom Defense SHORT-POD™ APU. We expect that C-130 operators worldwide will immediately recognize the expertise, customer service advantage, and unique value proposition that Kellstrom Repair Services provides for the maintenance, repair & overhaul of the SHORT-POD™ APU."

About Kellstrom Defense:

Kellstrom Defense, Inc. ("Kellstrom Defense") is a leading provider of aftermarket logistics support for military and defense platforms around the world, including but not limited to C-130, F-16, F-5/T-38, P-3, Boeing 707 defense derivative aircraft, and multiple rotary-wing platforms. Kellstrom Defense specializes in complete Supply Chain Management ("SCM") services through establishing strategic alliances and partnerships with the defense aviation industry's leading manufactures and repair centers, providing a suite of solutions for operators, depots, and aircraft MRO centers worldwide sustaining legacy military platforms. Further information is available at: www.kellstromdefense.com

About Kellstrom Repair Services:

Kellstrom Repair Services, Inc. ("Kellstrom Repair Services") specializes in providing Maintenance, Repair & Overhaul ("MRO") and sustainment solutions for U.S. manufactured

legacy military aircraft and rotor wing platforms worldwide. Kellstrom Repair Services - Livermore, CA (formerly ALCO Services, Inc.) is a Honeywell Authorized Repair Station specializing in the repair and overhaul of GTCP36, GTC85, GTCP85 & GTCP95 Series Auxiliary Power Units, Engine Driven Compressors, and a full range of mechanical, electro-mechanical, instrument, pneumatic and fuel system components. Kellstrom Repair Services - Miramar, FL (formerly High Tech Avionics & Accessories) specializes in the repair and overhaul of Accessory Class III components, Instrument Class I, II, III and IV avionics, and landing gear systems. Kellstrom Repair Services - Repair Management leverages in-house repair capabilities and a network of FAA & EASA authorized facilities to provide value added MRO solutions for both OEMs and global end user customers. Further information is available at: www.kellstromdefense.com/mro

About Merex Group:

The Merex Group is a global provider of comprehensive support for U.S. manufactured legacy defense platforms including aircraft, helicopters, and their respective engines. Supporting more than 50 countries worldwide that operate legacy defense platforms, the Merex Group Total Support™ approach of providing spares/components, repair/overhaul management, manufacturing & engineering solutions and overall program management has been instrumental in the company's success in this growing market. The Merex Group is headquartered in Camarillo, California and is a Dubin Clark Portfolio Company. Further information is available at: www.merexinc.com

About Dubin Clark & Company:

Dubin Clark & Company is a private equity investment firm founded in 1984 exclusively on purchasing and cultivating businesses into profitable enterprises, all the time working alongside the businesses' preexisting management. The organization has a philosophy of "Maintaining each company's values, independence and culture; our goal is to build on what has already been achieved." Further information is available at: www.dubinclark.com

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